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## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Docket No. 11302-0530 (44040-228238)

TSAI ET AL.

Serial No. 09/474,634

Filed: December 29, 1999

For: BIODEGRADABLE THERMOPLASTIC NONWOVEN WEBS FOR FLUID MANAGEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Response  
☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ The additional fee is calculated as shown below:

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					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	15	MINUS	20=	0	x9	\$	x18	\$
INDEP.	1	MINUS	3=	0	x42	\$	x84	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF								
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+140	\$	+280	\$
TOTAL								
ADDITIONAL FEE						\$		\$0

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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